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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)) Express Mail Label No. EU211110957US APPLICATION ELEMENTS Assistant Commissioner for Patents ADDRESS TO: Box Patent Application See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. Washington, DC 20231 1. 🔯 Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) 7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing) Computer Program (Appendix) 2. Applicant claims small entity status. 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission See 37 CFR 1.27. (if applicable, all necessary) з. 🔲 Specification a. Computer Readable Form (CRF) Total Pages (preferred arrangement set forth below) b. Specification Sequence Listing on: Descriptive title of the Invention i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or Cross Reference to Related Applications ii. 🔲 paper Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, c. Statements verifying identity of above copies or a computer program listing appendix **ACCOMPANYING APPLICATIONS PARTS** - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention 9. 🛛 Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) 10. 37 C.F.R.§3.73(b) Statement Power of - Detailed Description - Claim(s) (when there is an assignee) Attorney - Abstract of the Disclosure 11. English Translation Document (if applicable) 4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C.113) [Total Sheets 12. 🔯 Information Disclosure Copies of IDS Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages Citations a. Newly executed (original or copy) 13. 🔲 **Preliminary Amendment** 14. 🛛 Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d)) (Should be specifically itemized) (for a continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed) 15. 🔲 Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) (if foreign priority is claimed) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) 16. 🔲 Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 named in the prior application, see 37 CFR (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). or its equivalent. 6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 17. 🛛 Other: Cover page of published PCT application; A Power of Attorney is included within the Declaration 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: ☐ Continuation □ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: Prior application information: Examiner Group / Art Unit: For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. 17. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS ☐ Customer Number or Bar Code Label Correspondence address below (Insert Customer No. or Attach bar code label here) SIEMENS CORPORATION Name INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY DEPT. 186 WOOD AVENUE SOUTH Address City **ISELIN** NJ State Zip Code 08830 Country USA Telephone 732-321-3026 Fax 732-321-3014

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